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Applicant: Burton S. KALISKI Confirmation No.: 5894
Application No.: 09/802,485 Art Unit: 2135
Filed: March 9, 2001 Examiner: P. W. Klimach
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INCREASING THE SECURITY OF
ENCRYPTED SECRETS AND AUTHENTICATION

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 24, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.